

## CAMPSITE FACILITIES

We are located within the Tobin Elementary School  
And have access to:

- ❖ 4 group rooms
- ❖ Computer Lab
- ❖ Large double size gymnasium
- ❖ Art Room
- ❖ Large playing field
- ❖ Fully equipped playground
- ❖ Sprinklers & wading pool
- ❖ Fresh Pond & Danehy Park

## Licensing

This camp is inspected annually to comply with regulations of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health (105CMR 430.000) and is licensed by the Cambridge Board of Health.

## Equal Access

The City of Cambridge, The Tobin Community School, Department of Human Service Programs does not discriminate on the basis of disability the Tobin Community School will provide auxiliary aids and services, written materials in alternative formats and reasonable modifications in policies and procedures to person with disabilities upon request.  
TTY/TDD: 617-492-0235

## Inclusion Policy:

DHSP welcomes individuals with disabilities in all of its OST Programs. DHSP will provide reasonable accommodations to individuals with disabilities who meet the basic eligibility requirements of the OST Programs or who with the provision of reasonable accommodations will be able to meet the basic eligibility requirements, to facilitate equal participation for those individuals in existing OST Programs.

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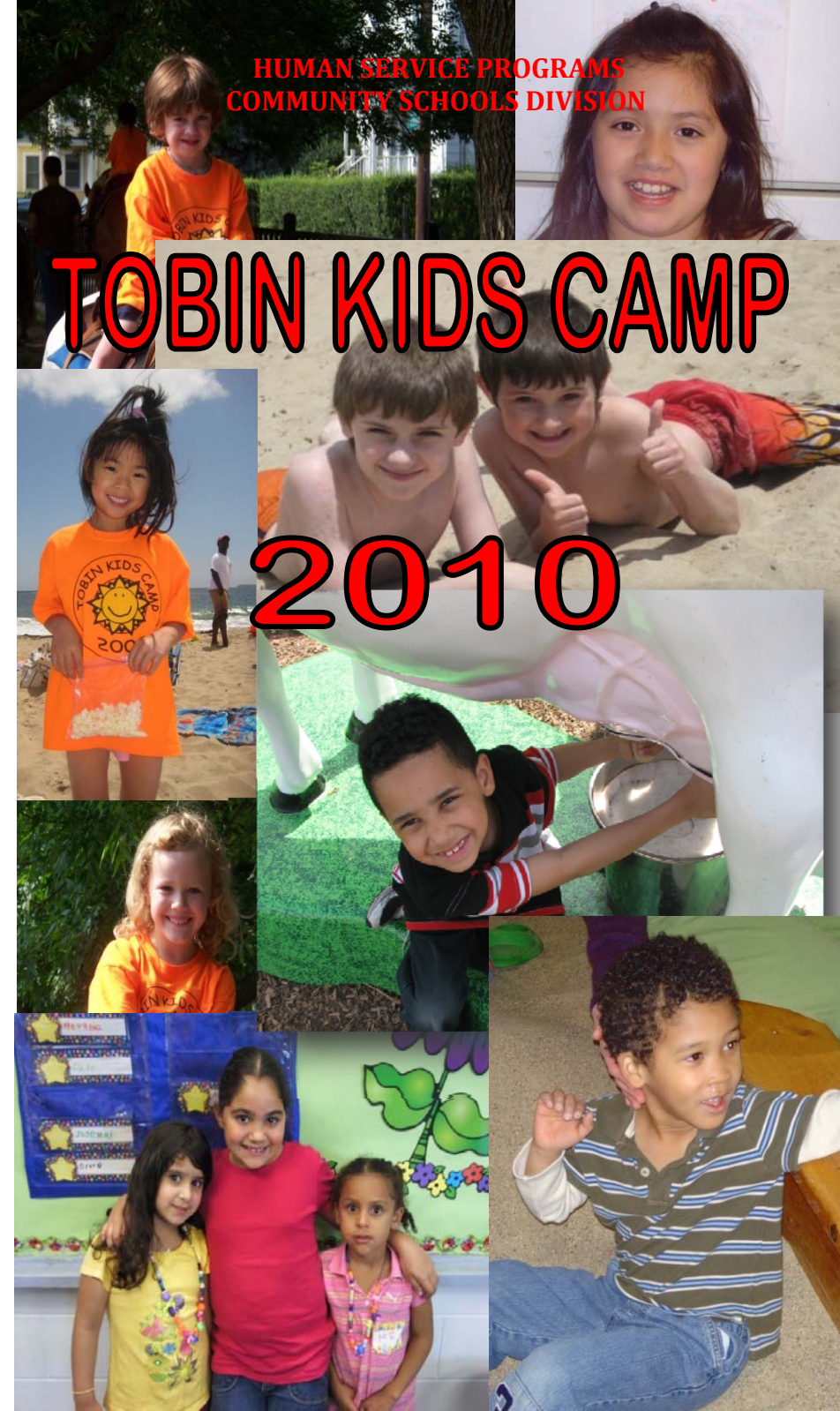
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# 2010



## ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

**Tobin Kids Camp** is designed to meet your child's need for fun and adventure in a safe and caring environment, with an emphasis on **Values, Respect, Fairness and Acceptance!** Your child will participate in many activities that will make their summer a memorable one. Our hope is that every child leaves here at the end of their camp experience feeling like they have made new lifetime friendships.

We will explore a multi-cultural variety of music, stories, crafts, and cooking, as well as spending time in the computer lab and enjoying sports in the gym or out in the large play field. A portion of your child's day on site will be spent in specialized classes including: Music, Drama, Creative Movement and Sports. Our staff to child ratio insures that your child will receive individual attention if needed.



### Pre-School Group - 2.9 to 4 Years

Our new pre-school group under the direction of the head counselor, assistant counselor and 2 junior counselors will participate in daily art, music, literacy, sports and dramatic arts. Children will also have plenty of daily park and water play opportunities. Occasional local field trips may also be planned. **(Children must be toilet trained.)**

### Weekly Trips - (School Age Groups)

We venture out of our camp home once or twice a week. We visit local lakes and beach's each week to enjoy the water and explore its surroundings. Other weekly trips take us to places like Southwick's Wild Animal Farm, Brockton Rox Baseball Games, Pirate Ship Cruises, Lobstering on the Atlantic Ocean or Canobie Lake Amusement Park. An Adventure awaits on each trip!!

## Camp Dates & Fee's

### Camp Dates June 28<sup>th</sup> to August 13<sup>th</sup>

Session 1: June 28<sup>th</sup> - July 2<sup>nd</sup>

Session 2: July 6<sup>th</sup> - July 16<sup>th</sup>

Session 3: July 19<sup>th</sup> - July 30<sup>th</sup>

Session 4: August 2<sup>nd</sup> - August 13<sup>th</sup>

### Pre - School / Ages 2.9 years to 4 years

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 1:00pm

Session 1 - \$125.00

Sessions 2, 3 & 4 - \$250.00

### School Age / Kindergarten to 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 3:30pm

Session 1 - \$160.00

Sessions 2, 3 & 4 - \$320.00

### Extended Day

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:30pm

Session 1 - \$180.00

Sessions 2, 3 & 4 \$360.00

### Extended Day Program

The extended day program runs until 5:30 and is a more relaxed atmosphere. Children have had a busy day already, so our extended day staff provides a more informal environment with quiet games, crafts, and playground time. Pre Kindergarten and Kindergarten students are offered a rest period after lunch.



## Our Talented, Caring Staff

Each of our age groups will be staffed with a Head Counselor, Asst. Counselor, and two junior counselors. Most of our staff have been with us for many years and have an extensive background in working with children during the school year as teachers and assistant teachers. Our specialized staff is highly trained in their area of expertise. Three certified lifeguards also accompany us on all water trips. Each of our lead staff is certified in first aid and CPR. All staff receives additional training in child development and curriculum planning.

### Lunch and Snack

**If** the Tobin School qualifies for the food program breakfast and lunch will be provided for each child. Children will be provided with a healthy snack during the extended day program.

### Tuition and Financial Assistance

A \$50.00 Deposit per session is required which will be applied towards tuition. No refunds will be given after June 7<sup>th</sup>. Partial Scholarships are available and will be awarded on the basis of need. Income verification will be required. Applications for scholarship must be received no later than May 14<sup>th</sup>. We accept Child Care Resource Center Vouchers. **A child may not attend camp unless the following weeks tuition is paid in full.**

### Registration

Registration begins April 1<sup>st</sup>. To register please return registration packet along with a \$15.00 non-refundable application fee and \$50.00 deposit for each session. Registration Deadline: May 28, 2010. All camper forms and deposits are due by May 28<sup>th</sup>.



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## WEEK

## THEME'S

## DESCRIPTION

### 1 "WE ARE THE WORLD"



Campers will explore all the different cultures that make up our camp family.

### 2 "UNDER THE SEA"



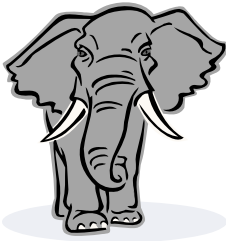
What sorts of creatures lurk "Under the Sea"? We'll find out as we investigate the bottom of the ocean floor!

### 3 "AHOY MATEY"



Ahoy Matey! Live the life of a Pirate. Search for hidden treasure, play pirate games and we'll sail the high seas.

### 4 "JUNGLE SAFARI"



It's a jungle out there! Explore the wild world of animals. Long necks, big ears, small beaks. Every animal is unique to our world.

### 5 "DINO MANIA"



Campers will travel back to Pre-historic days. We'll learn about extinction and the many facets on this mystical time.

### 6 "WET & WILD"



We'll get wet and stay wet! The wetter the better. Make a waterslide and have a week of waters inspired projects

### 7 "TOBIN'S AMERICAN IDOL"



Lights, Camera, Action! Take center stage and walk the Red carpet. Be an actor, actress or the next American idol.